



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q67718

Kozo AOKI, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/019,249

Group Art Unit: 1625

Confirmation No.: 1284

Examiner: Patricia L. MORRIS

Filed: June 05, 2002

For: BENZIMIDAZOLE COMPOUNDS AND MEDICAMENTS COMPRISING THE SAME

EXCESS CLAIM FEE PAYMENT LETTER

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

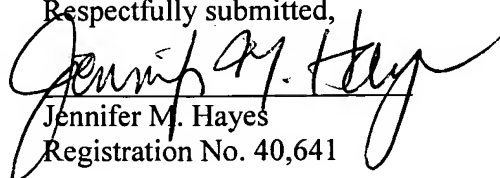
Sir:

An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.111 is attached hereto for concurrent filing in the above-identified application. The resulting excess claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

| | After Amendment | | Highest No. Previously Paid For | | | | | | |
|--------------|--------------------|---|---------------------------------------|---|---|---|---------|----------|-----------------|
| All Claims | 27 | - | 22 | = | 5 | X | \$18.00 | = | \$90.00 |
| Independent | 4 | - | 3 | = | 1 | X | \$84.00 | = | \$84.00 |
| TOTAL | | | | | | | | = | \$174.00 |

The azstatutory fee of \$174.00 is to be charged to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,


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